

**Before the  
Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20554**

In the Matter of	)	
	)	
Review of Regulatory Requirements for	)	
Incumbent LEC Broadband	)	CC Docket No. 01-337
Telecommunications Services	)	

**ORDER**

**Adopted: March 22, 2002**

**Released: March 22, 2002**

By the Deputy Chief, Common Carrier Bureau:

Revised Filing Date:

**Reply Comments Due: April 22, 2002**

1. On December 20, 2001, the Commission released a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in the Review of Regulatory Requirements for Incumbent LEC Broadband Telecommunications Services (*ILEC Broadband NPRM*). The *ILEC Broadband NPRM* stated that interested parties could file comments 45 days after Federal Register publication of the Notice and reply comments 75 days after such publication.<sup>1</sup> On March 22, 2002, the Competitive Telecommunications Association ("CompTel") filed a petition to extend the date for filing reply comments.<sup>2</sup> In its pleading, CompTel requests an extension of time in order to allow the parties an opportunity to better evaluate and respond to the complex economic analyses offered by commenters in the *ILEC Broadband NPRM*.

2. It is the policy of the Commission that extensions of time are not routinely granted.<sup>3</sup> In this instance, however, the Bureau finds that CompTel has shown good cause for an extension of the deadline for filing comments and reply comments in this proceeding. Because of the complexity of the issues and the Commission's desire to obtain accurate and complete data, we grant a limited extension so that parties may file reply comments on **April 22, 2002**. This matter shall continue to be treated as a "permit-but-disclose" proceeding in accordance with

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<sup>1</sup> Seventy-five days after Federal Register publication of the *ILEC Broadband NPRM* is April 1, 2002. 67 Fed Reg. 1945 (Jan. 15, 2002).

<sup>2</sup> *Review of the Regulatory Requirements for Incumbent LEC Broadband Telecommunications Services*: CC Docket No. 01-337, Request for Extension of Reply Comment Period (March 22, 2002).

<sup>3</sup> 47 C.F.R. § 1.46(a).

the Commission's *ex parte* rules.<sup>4</sup> All other requirements discussed in the *ILEC Broadband NPRM* remain in effect.

3. For further information, please contact Janice M. Myles, Common Carrier Bureau, Policy and Planning Division, 202-418-1580.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

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<sup>4</sup> *Id.* § 1.1206.